



# COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY JOB CLASS SPECIFICATION

## KET BROADCAST TECHNICIAN

Job Number: 20000489

Job Code: 12080V151016

Job Group: 1200 - ELECTRONICS AND COMMUNICATIONS

Job Established: 06/16/1982

Job Revised: 10/16/2015

Grade: 13 Salary (MIN - MID):

\$16,432-\$21,875 - Hourly

\$2,670.20-\$3,554.70 - 37.5 Hr. Monthly Salary

\$2,848.22-\$3,791.68 - 40 Hr. Monthly Salary

Special Entrance Rate:

NONE

NONE

NONE

### **PROBATIONARY PERIOD:**

This job has an initial and promotional probationary period of 6 months. For additional information refer to: <http://www.lrc.ky.gov/kar/101/001/325.htm>.

**CHARACTERISTICS OF THE JOB:** *Characteristics of a job are general statements indicating the level of responsibility and discretion of positions in that job classification. These are not intended to be an exhaustive list.*

Performs technical functions in the operation, maintenance, and repair of television/radio transmission and studio electronic equipment; and performs other duties as required.

### **MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS:**

#### **EDUCATION:**

High school graduate.

#### **EXPERIENCE:**

Must have three years of experience in the operation, maintenance and repair of television and/or radio broadcasting equipment.

#### **Substitute EDUCATION for EXPERIENCE:**

A certificate from a technical school in the field of electronics, radio and/or television repair will substitute for one year of the required experience. An associate or bachelor's degree in electrical, electronic or industrial engineering, or a related field will substitute for the required experience on a year for year basis.

#### **Substitute EXPERIENCE for EDUCATION:**

A combination of operation, maintenance or repair experience in the following fields will substitute on a year for year basis for one year of the required experience: TV bench service, digital devices, two way radio, electronic computer equipment, microwave equipment.

#### **SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS (AGE, LICENSURE, REGULATION, ETC.):**

NONE

**EXAMPLES OF DUTIES OR RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE JOB CLASSIFICATION:** *Examples of duties or responsibilities are not to be construed as describing what the duties or responsibilities of any position shall be and are not to be construed as limiting the appointing authority's ability to assign, or otherwise alter the duties and responsibilities of a position. This is not intended to be an exhaustive list.*

Performs technical duties in the installation, operation and maintenance of television/radio broadcasting equipment, such as video tape machines of various formats, television cameras, videotape editors, film chains, electronic switching arrays, audio control consoles, digital interface devices and related apparatus for the broadcasting of television programs. Performs routine alignment of waveform monitors, picture monitors and test equipment. Performs preventive maintenance and cleaning of editing suites. Performs maintenance on television and radio transmitting, uplinking, downlinking, monitoring and microwave test equipment. Checks for adherence to FCC, PBS and KET rules, regulations and policies. Provides technical training and assistance to less experienced technicians. Corresponds with vendors when technical assistance is needed. Makes recommendations for parts and equipment purchases. Follows all safety regulations.

**UNIQUE PHYSICAL REQUIREMENTS:**

Work involves lifting, bending and stooping.

**TYPICAL WORKING CONDITIONS:** *Incumbents in the job will typically perform their job duties under these conditions.*

May risk exposure to electrical shock.

**ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS:**

Upon appointment, employees in this class may be required to maintain a valid driver's license and required to drive a licensed vehicle. This status may be necessary for the length of time in this class. If this is necessary it will be listed in the specific position description for that position. Applicants and employees in this job title may be required to submit to a drug screening test and background check. Applicants and employees in positions which perform job duties that may require contact with offenders in the custody or supervision of the Department of Corrections or with youth in the care, custody, or supervision of the Department of Juvenile Justice must meet qualifications pursuant to the federal Prison Rape Elimination Act, 28 C.F.R.115.17 and 115.317.

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